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TITANIC BATTLE LINE OF THE AISNE

Allies Said to Have Accomplished Important Tactical Stroke.

FORMED A JUNCTION.

Possible Now to Extend Line Nearly to Belgian Border—Folding Movement Against Germans.

Paris, Oct. 2.—With the western end of the titanic battle line of the Aisne sweeping into Belgium, the allies have accomplished a tactical stroke, which, it is unofficially stated here today, is of tremendous import—the virtual junction of the French troops, the Belgian forces, with which they have operated irregularly, and the English British base at Ostend.

The extension of the French battle line nearly to the Belgian border has been made possible, the war office admits, by the tremendous re-enforcements sent to General D'Amade, whose army, occupying the extreme left of the French position, has been swelled by the addition of nearly three full army corps.

That the folding movement on both ends of the line continues, is the gist of the war office announcement today. Despite the numerous reports being disseminated that the armies of Von Kluck and Von Boehn are in extreme jeopardy, Bordeaux merely announced today:

"We continue to progress on the right nad left."

No details were given. It is known, however, that the heavy re-enforcements, rushed to the front yesterday are making themselves felt, especially on the left, where the task of breaking the power of resistance of the combined armies of Generals Von Boehn and Von Kluck is being pushed to the utmost.

FEDERAL RESERVE.

Ingle, Moncure And Gouveneur Made Directors for Richmond District.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 2.—Pierre Jay, Charles Starek, of New York city, and George F. Peabody, of Lake George, N. Y., Wednesday were named class C, or governing, directors of the Federal reserve district embracing New York, according to an announcement by the Federal Board.

Those named for the Richmond district were:

William Ingle, of Baltimore, chairman and federal reserve agent.

James R. Moncure, of Richmond, vice chairman and deputy federal reserve agent.

M. H. F. Gouveneur, of Wilmington N. C., director.

Soon Re-Married.

Bristol, Va., Oct. 2.—It was just twenty minutes from the time she was granted a divorce from her husband yesterday by Judge Harmon, of the circuit court of this county, until Mrs. Florence King Smith was the bride of Connelly Arnold. Arnold waited in the courtroom for the court's decision. Five minutes later he procured a marriage license, and fifteen minutes later a minister performed the ceremony.

J. M. Pettit Jr., 605 King St., will have on sale today and Saturday, one hundred half bushel baskets of fancy peaches at 60c per basket, also all varieties of basket grapes at 12½c per basket Try his special brand of peanuts, they are extra large and roasted daily.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

Defying the ruling of the board of school commissioners of Utica, N. Y. that they attend sessions in a grade school where, it happens, there is a picture of Christ hanging on one of the walls, the Jewish students of the school, boys and girls went on strike yesterday and demanded they be transferred to another institution or that the picture be removed. Carrying their books under their arms and each wearing a badge containing their demand for transfer, the students paraded the business section. The commisisoners take the stand that the students must attend the school to which they have been assigned or be punished for truancy.

The Austrian government has apologized to Italy for the sinking of Italian vessels by mines in the Adriatic and promises to remove the menace and indemnify the victims.

October 15 was agreed upon yesterday by Democratic leaders as a tentative date for the adjournment of the present session of Congress. It is probable an agreement will be reached whereby members generally will leave Washington by the middle of next week, leaving the party leaders on guard until adjournment.

C. W. Westbury, who for the past year has been assistant general agent of the Southern Railway, Washington, has been promoted to be general agent, succeeding L. S. Brown, deceased. For many years Mr. Westbury was a conductor. He has been in the employ of the Southern Railway for more than 30 years, having begun his railroad career as a brakeman. He was born in South Carolina about 50 years ago.

TRAGIC EPISODES OF WAR

French Lad Smiles Proudly as he Faces Gun Muzzles.

London, Oct. 2—German tales of tragic episodes of the war were issued by the official press bureau Wednesday. The stories were taken from a book called "Kriegs Chronik" seized from aliens entering English ports The volume consists, according to the bureau, "partly of a highly untrustworthy chronicles of the war, and partly of soldier's letters from the front."

As showing the methods of thought of the enemy these last have considerable value," continues the bureau. It is not the truth or falsity of the tales that matters, but the applause and self congratulation of the writers on deeds of gross treachery and cruelty claimed to have been done by themselves or comrades."

"The narrative of an artillery officer on the extermination of a Belgian village" as given out by the bureau follows:

"The countryside was full of our troops. Neverless the stupid peasants must need shoot at our men, as they march by from lurking places. Day before yesterday the Prussian troops surrounded a village, put the women, children and old people aside and shot all the men. The village was then burned to the ground."

The story of the shooting of a spy scout is given as follows:

"A traitor has just been shot. He was a little French lad belonging to one of the gymnastic societies which wear the tri-colored ribbons, a poor young fellow who in his infatuation, wanted to be a hero.

"As the German column was passing along a wooded defile, he was caught and asked whether the French were about. He refused to give any information. Fifty yards further there was fire from the cover of the wood. The prisoner was asked in French if he had known that the enemy was in the forest he did not deny it.

"He went with a firm step to a telegraph pole and stood against it with a green vineyard at his back and received the volley of a firing party with a proud smile on his face. infatuated wretch. It was a pity to see such wasted courage."

There will be a meeting of the Crupper Club, Monday Evening Oct 5th, 8 p. m. 624 King St. All members are requested to be present to transact business of importance. By order of the president.

Thos. Chauncey.
D. E. Robey, Sec'y.

GERMANS RETREAT IN EAST PRUSSIA

Centre of Army Broken When Attack on Ossowitz Failed.

CAVALRY CUT LINES

Bavarian Troops, Pick of Czar's, Concentrated for Defense of Cracow—Fierce Battle Near.

Petrograd, Oct. 2—That the Germans are in full retreat in the province of Suwalki, Russian Poland, was the announcement of the war office today. It is stated that the German center was broken when the attack on Ossowitz failed and that the combined Russian assault which followed greatly demoralized the Germans.

Particularly violent fighting is reported in progress today in the region west of Somno. The main body of the German army is now stated to be concentrated in the western districts of Petrokow and Kielce, where it is reported to be strongly intrenched.

The Russian cavalry has cut the German lines of communication at several points and has surrounded and captured many prisoners. From these it has been definitely determined that the troops opposing the Russians at the present time are the veterans of the earlier campaigns in France. They have been withdrawn and rushed to the east in an effort on the part of the Germans to check the westward movement of the great Russian war machine.

The main body of the Russian army operating in Galicia against the combined German-Austrian forces crossed the Nida river in Poland and the Donajec river in Galicia immediately after the capture of Tarnow last Wednesday. These forces are now reported as attacking the line of intrenchments erected by the Austro-German armies along the Raba river, with Bochnia as the center. These form the advanced line of the defense of Cracow.

All information indicates that the battle here will be the first serious resistance yet encountered by the Russians in Galicia. The Germans have concentrated for the defense of Cracow the pick of their Bavarian troops. It is suggested here that in the line will be found the Bavarian army which was responsible for much of the success of the early German movement in France. Germany naturally realizes that if Cracow falss, the road will be open toward Breslau, and will make every effort to hold the present line.

The Russian army now advancing on Cracow is made up of the best troops in the empire.

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STATE DEBT NOW $21,339,289

Statistics Showing Gradual Reduction of State Obligations.

Richmond, Oct. 2—Virginia during the fiscal year ending September 30, reduced her public debt $305,700 according to Second Auditor Page's report to the governor. The showing is the best in the history of the State and each year sees larger decreases in her public debt on account of the special appropriation made by the 1910 session of the legislature, which sets aside a sum equal to one-half of 1 per cent of the total indebtness of the State each year as a sinking fund.

The sinking fund commissioners reported that the public debt of $24,645,075.23, which existed at the close of the fiscal year of September 30, 1913, had been reduced to $24,339,289.

The sinking fund commissioners by going into the open market have been able to retire $305,700 in bonds at a cost of $217,182, or at an average cost of about 83 per cent. Besides the amount set aside by the act of 1910 another act sets aside the revenue derived from the stock owned by the State in the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad to be used in retiring the debt This item amounts to about $30,000 per year.

The public debt of Virginia at the close of the fiscal year ending September 1, consisted of the following items,: Century bonds, $15,819,036.42,; Riddleberger bonds, $5,594,454.16; school and college certificates $2,467,-605.85.

During the year just closed $85,000 of century bonds were acquired by the board of education as an investment of fines, which go to the literary fund. This item of $85,000 makes a total of $125,000 which the board has re-purchased of the $200,000 of bonds which were sold in order to float loans to school districts for school building purposes. The board was able to do this on account of the principals of a part of literary fund, and were also aided the loans being paid back in to the by the receipts from fines.

The report of Auditor Page also showed that during the year that more than $150,000 was loaned to different school districts of the State to assist them in building schools Close to $85,000 of money which had previously been loaned to the school districts was repaid into the literary funds by the school districts.

Auditor Page reported that there had been added to the retired teachers investment fund during the year the sum of $11,700, which makes the total of the fund invested for this purpose $62,400. This fund is only about eight years old and was created by an act of the legislature of 1906. It receives from the State each year the sum of $5,000 and the balance is made up of an assessment of 1 per cent of the salary of the public school teachers of the State.

WILL OPEN TOMORROW.

As will be seen by the advertisement, the Union Savings Bank of this city, will open for business tomorrow. The Alexandrians at the head of this institution are of the most practical and enterprising class, and there is every reason to believe the new bank will prove a valuable auxiliary to the commercial importance of this city.

COMMITTEES ORGANIZE.

The committee on public property of the City Council organized last night. Councilman C. S .T. Burke was elected chairman.

The committee on poor was also organized with the election of Aldermen Hill as chairman.

The committees on general laws, claims, police and schools, have not yet organized.

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ALEXANDRIAN IS HONORED

J. W. Bales Elected Second Vice President of Elks' Association

TO MEET IN THIS CITY.

Delegates from Every Lodge in Old Dominion Present at Meeting of Organization in Petersburg.

Petersburg, Oct. 2—The State Association of the B. P. O. Elks, is in session in the Lyric Theatre here with delegations attending from all the cities in the State. The opening session yesterday was devoted in the main to greetings and addresses of welcome and response. Pleasant words of greeting and welcome to the city were spoken by Mayor Benjamin Harrison, exalted ruler of Petersburg Lodge, and Mayor Robert Cabaniss, The formal address of welcome on behalf of the local Elks was delivered by R. T. Wilson, to which President T. C. Conlon, of Charlottesville, president of the association, made response. The speeches were of a very cordial character Many men of prominence in the order are attending the meeting of the association.

A business session followed the preliminary ceremonies, being held with closed doors. Reports of committees on credentials, and president's report and the reports of the treasurer and secretary, were submitted and adopted. Twelve lodges located in the various cities of the State are represented at the meeting. The election of officers for the ensuing year took place today. James W. Bales, of Alexandria was elected Second Vice-President and Alexandria was selected as the meeting place next September.

The present officers of the association all of whom are present, are: president, T. C. Conlon, Charlottesville, Va.,; first vice-president, W. T. Baugh, Petersburg, Va.; second vice-president, Michael Ward, Newport News, Va.; third vice-president J. F. Parker, Portsmouth, Va.; secretary, Cliff Godsey, Petersburg, Va.; treasurer, J. B. Bliley, Richmond; chaplain, Rev. Ed. Carpenter, Alexandria, Va.; sergeant-at-arms, F. F. Rogers, Jr., Norfolk, Va.

Among the prominent members of the order in attendance upon the convention are Past State President Fred Harper, of Lynchburg,; Past State President J. Anderson Chisholm, of Charlottesville, Va.; Past State President Charles S. Johnson, of Roanoke, Va.; Charles L. Mosby, superintendent of the National Elks' Home at Bedford City, Va.; Hulce Glenn, a prominent lawyer of Staunton; J. F. Rogers, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., sergeant-at-arms, and John B. Bliley of Richmond, State treasurer of the association.

During the recess yesterday the visiting delegates were served with buffet luncheon at the Elks' Home. This afternoon they were taken to the fair grounds and treated to a dinner of Brunswick stew, barbecues and other substantials an ddelicacies A rich open-air entertainment had been arranged for their amusement. The local Elks are giving their brethren a fine time.

LOT—On Thursday, between 414 North Washington street and 300 King street, a gold watch fob with amethyst setting. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Clarence C. Leadbeater.

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Salt water oysters $1.00 per gallon
Salt shad, each 15c
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LOCAL BREVITIES

The ladies of Alexandria must prepare themselves for another grand millinery opening which takes place next Tuesday and Wednesday at Miss Louise Aitcheson's on King street. This popular store is making elaborate arrangements for the semi-annual event and the display of feminine headgear will evoke exclamations of surprise.

All arrangements for the "Character Social" to be given at the Westminster Building tonight have been perfected, and those who purpose to attend anticipate an enjoyable evening.

An artesian well has been sunk by the Old Dominion Glass Company. It is 190 feet deep and has a flow of 40 gallons a minute. An analysis just made of the water shows it to be absolutely pure.

The most sensational motion picture ever shown in Alexandria will be thrown on the screen at all performances at the Richmond tonight. The World film corporation will present "The World the Flesh and the Devil" in six reels Nothing like it has ever before been seen and those who miss this treat will have ample cause for regret. The first show starts at 6:30 p. m.

Choice Dallias, Cosmos, and other cut flowers can be found Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at stand in market Albert Shaffer, Route 1, Alexandria, Va.

OFFICIAL FIGURES.

One Hundred And Fifty-Eight Thousand One Hundred and Thirty-Seven Votes Cast.

(Special Dispatch to the Gazette.)

Richmond, Oct. 2.—There were 158,137 votes cast in the recent state-wide election, according to official complete figures made public here today. These figures were divided as follows:

For prohibition, 94,451; against prohibition, 63,686, majority of 30,765 for the "drys."

POLICE COURT.

(Justice H. B. Caton Presiding)

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Garfield McCray, colored, charged with stealing six dollars from Cornelius Jordan, colored, was sent to jail for sixty days.

John Lewis, colored, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined $5.

James Hill and James Ford, charged with fighting, were fined $2.50.

Tina Jackson, colored, charged with larceny, was ordered to be turned over to the Board of Charities and Correction.

SHORT ON DOG LICENSES.

One Hundred And Seventy-Nine Less Than at Same Time Last Year.

The business of issuing dog licenses and arraigning persons in the Police Court for harboring unlicensed animals has not been as brisk this year as last. Properly muzzled dogs are at present rare sights on the streets, while numbers of curs, apparently ownerless, still prowl through the city.

Only 566 licenses have been issued by the City Auditor up to the present time, which is 176 less than at the same time last year. During the three previous years the average number taken out was 740.

It is suggested that the crusade made by the authorities last year has caused a decrease in the number of canines in the city, while numbers heretofore allowed to prowl the streets are kept upon the premises of their owners.

There have been no mad dog scares recently, and during such lulls, but little attention is paid to the animals.

OPENING
You are especially invited to attend the fall and winter opening of fine millinery
Tuesday and Wednesday Oct. 6th and 7th.
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$10,000 LOST IN PLAYING FARO

J. Baxter Wilson, of Richmond, Causes Arrest of Philadelphian

LOSES NEAR NIAGARA.

Accused Claimed He Had a System of Play That Would Break the Bank in Short Order.

Richmond, Oct. 2—Charged with obtaining money under false pretense, Lawrence M. Day, thirty-five years old, a married man residing in Haddon Heights, N. J., was arrested at his home Wednesday night and is now in the Camden county (N. J.) jail, awaiting requisition to buffalo, N. Y.

The warrants for Day's arrest was sworn out by J. Baxter Wilson, a lawyer of Richmond, who stated that Day and a man by the name of King, who is said to live in New York City, obtained nearly $10,000 from him by attempting to show him how to break a faro bank. Day denied the charges, and said that he is a business man and a wholesale dealers in toys and that he had a twin brother, and this was probably the man for whom the police were looking.

At a hearing before Justice of the Peace Hewitt, Day was committed to prison in default of $10,000 bail, to await requisition to Niagara Falls, Wilson identified Day as the man wanted. The police say that Day is also known as J. W. Moore, A. W. Moore and L. W. Moore.

According to the account given the police by Wilson, King came to Richmond last March. He became acquainted with Wilson, and one day told Wilson that he had a friend in Philadelphia who a system of play that would break any faro bank. The two then went to Philadelphia.

Wilson said that King took him to a big hotel and sent their cards up to Day, and word came back that Day was too tired to see them, and for them to return in the morning. They did so. Day then produced a faro table, Wilson said, and the two men showed him how easy it was to beat the game. On the strength of what the two men told him, Wilson returned to Richmond and drew $3,500 from bank. The trio then went to the Iroquois Hotel, in Buffalo and from there to a club near Niagara Falls.

Following instructions, Wilson laid the entire amount on one card, and ten seconds later it was gone. The two men then took him outside and told him that he had not followed the game as he was told, and to get more money.

Wilson came back to Richmond and returned to Niagara Falls with same way. He was instructed to get $6,000 more. This money went the more money, and left, but on the way home a light dawned upon him that things were not as they should be, and he returned to Philadelphia and swore out a warrant.

Wilson is an attorney with offices in the American National Bank Building. He was formerly a stock holder connected with Allen E. Donnan & Co., and was later with Saunders Hobson in a brokerage office on Twelfth Street. His address is given in the city directory as Murphy's Hotel, but it was stated there last night that he no longer lived at the hotel, and that his present house address was unknown.

WANTED—Rooms or apartment furnished for housekeeping. Immediate possession desired. J. M. D. care of Gazette. 2-3t.

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of Mt. Vernon Royal Arch Chapter, No. 14, will be held in Masonic Temple, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Mrs. Ernest Powers, of Harrisonburg, formerly a resident of this city, spent yesterday the guest of Mrs. Bessie Kerrick, 516 Cameron street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyons have returned from Panama, where they have resided for the past year.

STABLE TO RE-OPENED.

A noteworthy addition to the business interests of the city was made yesterday when the Mt. Vernon livery, feed and sale stable on north St. Asaph street, was re-opened to the public entirely under new ownership and new management.

Phillip E. Boyd, who was formerly connected with the Downey Stables in Washington and a liveryman, regarded in high standing, has been placed in charge of the stables. A general livery and boarding business will be carried on. A rig with horse or team for every occasion will be hired out at the most reasonable prices. Everything connected with the stable will be up-to-date. The boarding department will be one of the specialties, horses being boarded by the month. The transient trade will be given the most careful attention and farmers and others in the city for a short time will find the stable just the place to leave their horses.

Courteous treatment will be afforded to all patrons and the service connected with the hiring of rigs, boarding or transient business will be unexcelled.

The care of horses boarding at the stable will be carefully attended to. The building is aboslutely fireproof, steam-heated throughout and thoroughly ventilated, assuring a good home for the four-footed servant of mankind.

REGISTER TOMORROW.

Books Will be Open One Day in the Different Wards.

The registration books in the several wards will be open all day tomorrow in order to accommodate voters who have, for various reasons, failed to have their names placed upon the rolls.

Should any fail to avail themselves of this oportunity, they will not be entitled to cast their votes at the election next month.

NEW TEACHER ELECTED

Miss Leslie Cox Selected at Meeting of School Board Last Night.

The regular monthly meeting of the City School Board was held last night. Two additional teachers were elected at a called meeting last Monday night. The selection of a third was postponed until last night when Miss Leslie Cox was elected on the first ballot. Her salary was fixed at $40 per month.

It was announced that the new desks ordered recently for the old Peabody building, in which the overflow schools will be quartered, has arrived and would be placed in position this week. Three rooms will be opened in the former quarters next Monday.

Superintendent Sweeney read his report for the first month of the school year. It showed that 1548 white pupils are now on the rolls with others coming. This is an increase of 95 over the number on the rolls at this time last year. Twenty-eight prospective pupils are waiting accommodations. The report showed that the colored schools had made but little increase, only eight additional pupils having been received over the number last year.

SAID THEY WERE PLAYING.

Considerable excitement was caused at the colored Odd Fellows' Hall, on south Columbus street, last night by a row between James Hill and James Lucas. Officers Roberts and Campbell appeared and brought the mill to an abrupt termination by arresting the combatants. They were brought before the Police Court this morning, when they stated in their defense that they "were merely playing." Justice Caton imposed a fine of $2.50 upon each.

CHARGED WITH THEFT.

Tenie Jackson, colored, twelve years old, is being held by the police on a charge of the theft of a pocketbook containing more than $3 from the residence of Walter G. Rogers, 408 Prince street. The girl entered the house by a back entrance during the absence of the occupants. She told the police that she gave the pocketbook away. It is expected that she will be sent to the reformatory. The money was recovered.

The American mine caved in last night. Fifty men were buried beneath the debris. It is believed all were killed.

PARADE AND INITIATION

Red Men Meet Last Night And Make Preparations for Event on 8th Instant.

Final preparations for the parade and class initiation of the Red Men were completed last night at a meeting of the committee arrangements. The affair will take place October 8.

A total of 203 candiates will be received into the order that night, the largest number ever before initiated at one time in this city.

The ceremonies will take place in the hall of the new Richmond Theatre and will be followed by a supper which will be served in Odd Fellows' Hall.

The degree work will be conferred by Logan Tribe degree team of Washington. This team will be accompanied by a large delegation of Red Men from Washington.

Great Sachem J. Ben Moore, of Matoca, Va., has accepted an invitation to attend.

COUNTY SCHOOLS

Number of Pupils Doubled During Past Five Years.

According to figures given out by Superintendent Hodges, the school registration of Alexandria county's public schools has doubled in the last five years. Figures just compiled show that a total of 1,522 pupils have enrolled for this scholastic session. The superintendent's estimate of 450 colored pupils brings the total up to 1,972. On this basis the total enrollment for the year should reach 2,322 pupils counting additions that will be made from month to month by families.

DECREES FOR DIVORCE.

In the Corporation Court today three decrees for divorce were granted on the grounds of desertion and abandonment in the following cases:

Arthur Reeder against Mamie Cooper Reeder.

Emma E. Schilling Nauman against John Nauman.

Queenie L. Anderson against Vincent C. Anderson.

AUCTION SALE TOMORROW

Samuel H. Lunt, auctioneer, will offer at public sale at noon tomorrow in front of the Royal street entrance to the city hall, a frame dwelling house and improvements, No. 1611 Duke street.

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been ordered discontinued by agreement of the peace commissioners and that preparations for a general convention of Constitutionalist chiefs on October 10 had been approved by the Carranza-Villa representatives were accepted by Washington officials as an important step in the interests of peace.

General Carranza's resignation, generally expected as a step in healing the breach with General Villa and his followers, may not take place until after the conference of military chiefs, seeking to compose the differences, finishes its work at Zacatecas.

GRIM WAR HUMOR

Russians Enjoying Life on Emperor William's Estate.

London, Oct. 2—The correspondent of the Telegraph at Petrograd, telegraphing regarding the operations in Russian Poland near the East Prussian border, says:

"The Polish peasants are extremely bitter against the Germans, and this feeling has been increased by contact with German humor. As an instance, the Germans everywhere pretended to pay for supplies with documents written in German, which the peasants do not understand. When translated the peasants found that these papers had inscribed thereon that 'Whoever presents this at the end of the war will be hanged.'

'There has probably been sniping by the civilian population, as the bodies of six peasants were found hanging to a tree in a Polish town a few days ago. Their fellow-townsmen vowed to have revenge, and two days later a German scouting party found the bodies of 22 German soldiers hanging from the same tree.

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New pack Early June Peas, 3 cans	25c
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Crisco, per can	25c
Grape Juice pint bottles	20c
3 cans Campbell's baked beans	25c
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Genuine imported Swiss Cheese, per lb	40c
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PEACE PROSPECTS IN MEXICO.

Unofficial reports reaching the administration from Constitutionalist sources in Washington conveyed further assurances that permanent peace soon will be restored in Mexico through the designation of Fernando Iglesias Calderon as provisional President, pending an election.

No official word from Mexico City concerning the convention, which was called to meet yesterday to promulgate plans for a general election, or from the peace conference between Carranza and Villa representatives at Zacatecas and Aguacalientes was received by the State Department. Both President Wilson and Secretary Bryan said, however, that the outlook for a peaceful settlement of the differences between the factions in Mexico was "very hopeful." Other officials said they confidently expected the peace conference to be successful.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22 5:17 (local) 7:47, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a m., daily except Saturday, when train leaves 2:18 p.m. This train runs through to Milford except Saturdays and Sundays.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Shoreham Hotel Company will be held at the principal office of the Company, 123 south Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Monday, October 5, 1914, at three o'clock p. m. for the election of directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may come before the meeting.

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Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C. & O., No. 408 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:07 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:57 A. M.—Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping car from Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:22 P. M.—Week day—limited for Warrenton, Charlottesville and Harrisonburg.

4.52 P. M., Daily — Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta, and Birmingham, Dining car service. ourist to California daily.

3:52 P. M.—Week day, Limited for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch, also for Warrenton. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:12 P. M.—Except Sunday—Local for warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's Southeastern Limited, for Asheville, Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta, Savannah and Jacksonville. Through Pullman Drawing room sleeping cars, coaches, dining cars.

11:02 A. M.—Daily—Atlanta Special. Solid Pullman train, sleeping cars to Asheville, Charlotte, Atlanta and Macon. Dining Car Service.

10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg.) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—New York, and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M.—Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

For detailed schedule, figures, tickets, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to

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In Effect March 1, 1914.

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A. M.—5 00, 5 40, 6 05, 6 20, 6 30 6 40, 6 55, 7 05, 7 15, 7 30, 7 40, 7 50, 8 00, 8 15, 8 25, 3 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40 10 00, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40, Noon—12 00.

P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20 2 35, 3 00, 3 20, 3 35, 3 50, 4 10, 4 25, 4 30, 4 40, 4 55, 5 10, 5 25 5 35, 5 50, 6 05, 6 20, 6 30, 6 45, 7 00, 7 15, 7 50, 8 00 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays.

A. M.—7 00, 7 35, 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40, 10 00, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40 Noon—12 00,

P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10.

Leave Alexandria For Mount Vernon.

A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 46, 7 56, 8 56, 10 30 11 30, —P M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 40, 5 35, 6 30, 7 35, 8 50, 9 50, 10 50, 11 50.

Sundays—A. M. 7 00, 8 30, 9 30, 10 30, 11 30, 12 30,P. M.—1 30 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 30, 6 30, 7 30, 8 46, 10 16.

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria on the 25th day of September, 1914. William Kyer, widower, H. M. E. Kyer and Maria Kyer, his wife, Olive K. Jessup and John Jessup, her husband, Ethel K. Tancil and G. Tancil, her husband, and William C. Kyer, an infant nineteen years of age, by William Kyer, his next friend, Complainants.

vs. In Chancery.

Albert Woodson and Annie Woodson, his wife, Charles Woodson, unmarried, Carrington Woodson, widower, Beverly Allen, Widower, Jane Holmes and George Holmes, her husband, Frank Allen and Carrie Allen, his wife, and Jack Allen, Defendants.

MEMO:

The object of this suit is to have a partition of the real estate of which Maria Hudson died seized and possessed, to wit: premises 421 Oronoco Street, Alexandria, Va., fronting 19 feet on the North side of Oronoco Street and running back northward 94 feet to an alley 16 ft. wide and being 88 feet 3 inches east of Pitt Street, among those entitled under her will and by law, and if same is not susceptible of partition in kind to have same sold for the purpose thereof, for all proper inquiries; for reasonable counsel fees, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Albert Woodson and Annie Woodson, his wife, Charles Woodson, Carrington Woodson and Jack Allen are non residents of this State: It is ordered, that said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court house of this City.

Robinson Moncure, P. Q.

A copy teste:

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

DEFEAT OF PRUSSIAN GUARDS

Regiment Annihilated in Covering Retreat of Germans.

Bordeaux, Oct. 2—The defeat of 15 000 Prussian Guards, who attacked the French center on September 26 is described in the Petit Gironde. As soon as news of the German advance was received French cavalry was sent to hold the enemy at Auberive, department of Marne, to give the artillery and infantry time to come up from Souain, a place near Auberive. But while the French dragoons were preparing for the defense of Auberive, a brigade of Death's Head Hussars, avoiding the village, came across the vineyards and fields with the intention of surprising the French artillery on the march.

It was a critical moment. The French Dragoons were two miles ahead and the infantry two miles behind the gunners who were in danger of being sabered across their guns. The Hussars were only three-quarters of a mile away, galloping furiously. In two minutes the guns were unlimbered and lined up along the road. The enemy then was only 500 yards away and the command could be heard to prepare to charge the guns.

In the charge the Prussian cavalry gathered speed with every yard When they were 200 yards away the French gunners aimed and there was a flash of fire. Through the blue smoke the artillerymen could see the enemy's horses rearing and officers trying vainly to rally the broken lines.

A second time the battery hurled death into the doomed brigade. A great silence succeeded the thunder of hoofs and the shooting of men. Two thousand horsemen lay as if struck by lightning. Here and there a wounded horse struggled to shake himself clear from the heaped dead.

But the artillerymen did not wait to gaze long on this scene of carnage They limbered up the guns and rattled off to aid the dragoons, who were hard pressed and falling back along the highway. The guns were a welcome relief. This time the struggle was more even. The German quick-firers returned the fire with interest, but the French infantery arrived and deployed among the vines, a bugle rang out and their bayonets flashed in the sun as they dashed forward.

Without cavalry to aid it the Prussian Guard was obliged to fall back A battalion of Zouaves glided behind and occupied the Valley of the Guard between two fires. A regiment of Grenadiers sacrificed itself to cover the retreat of the German columns on Rheims. Five times the Grenadiers hurled themselves against the French. They were repulsed every time and after the fifth charge only one section was left, a handful of men surrounding the flag.

Then first one, then two and then ten of the Grenadiers threw down their arms. A hundred men, mostly wounded, were all that were left of a splendid regiment, But their sacrifice had not been useless, for it enabled the column to get safely under the guns of the forts at Berru and Nogent L'Abbesse.

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Boy Burns to Death.

Richmond. Oct. 2—While left alone in bed, Freeman Norris, the little son of F. C. Norris, a traveling salesman in the employ of a Richmond hardware firm, became enveloped in flames Tuesday and was so badly burned that he died a few hours afterward in the home of his parents in Lumberton, N. C.

The child, who was a little more than 2 years old, evidently got hold of some matches and set fire to the bed clothing. His mother had left him in bed in order that she might go to attend to some household duties.

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CONDUCTOR SHOT DEAD.

Believed to Have Been Murdered by a Tramp.

Bristol, Va., Oct. 2.—Believed to have been killed by a tramp, Capt. John Smithson, a passenger conductor of the Southern Railway, was found dead beside the track near Morristown, Tenn., yesterday morning.

Smithson was seen leaving his train at 3 o'clock to receive orders. When he did not call at the operator's window search was made. Two bullet holes in his body and his shattered lantern beside him indicated a struggle. Officials of the railway wired orders to arrest all tramps found on trains and several were held. Smithson was well known here and in Knoxville.

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STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF Union Savings Bank, of Alexandria, Virginia, Incorporated, located at Alexandria in the county of Alexandria State of Virginia, at the close of business October 1st, 1914.made to the State Corporation Commission

RESOURCES

Furniture and fixtures	1060.48
Due from State Banks, Private Bankers and Trust Companies	5000.00
Unpaid subscriptions to capital stock	5000.00
Total	$11060.48

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in.... ..	5000.00
Stock subcribed but not not paid for	5000.00
Outstanding Accounts	1060.48
Total	$11060.48

Edward A. Gorman, M. D., do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of Union Savings Banks of Alexandria Virginia, Incorporated located at Alexandria in the county of Alexandria State of Virginia, at the close of business on the 1st day of October 1914, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ccrrect—Attest

I Edward A. Gorman, M. D., do Directors

Alfred Thomson,
Chas. A. Cherot
Richard L. Carne

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria. Sworn to and subscribed before me by E. A. Gorman this 1st day of October 1914.

H. Noel Garner, Notary Public
My commission expires Jan. 24, 1916.

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BAD AUTO MISHAP.

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 2.—As the result of an automobile turning turtle on the Massaponai road, about five miles from this city Wednesday night Messrs. E. Dorsey Cole, Harrison Montgomery and Harvey Snellings are in the Mary Washington hospital.

Mr. Cole, who is a nephew of Colonel E. D. Cole, of this city, is suffering from a fractured skull and has but a slight chance of recovery.

Mr. Montgomery, who is a member of the firm of Montgomery & McGhee, coal and provision dealers, has a dislocated shoulder and internal injuries.

Mr. Snellings, who is the steward of the Maryland, Delaware and Virginia railroad steamboat Lancaster, is severely bruised and cut.

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MRS. HALL RENEWS BOND.

Court Accepts Sureties Over Protest Made by Prosecuting Attorney.

Louisa, Va., Oct. 2.—Over the protest of Commonwealth's Attorney W. C. Bibb, Mrs. Victor Hall's bond was renewed Wednesday until November 14. This action of the court was due to the fact that papers in the appeal of the woman were on last Tuesday filed with the Virginia supreme court of appeals, asking for a writ of error.

A few days after Mrs. Hall was convicted. Judge Shackelford admitted her to bail in the sum of $10,000. Mr. Bibb called the attention of the court to the fact that Mrs. Hall was without the jurisdiction of the court. The judge, however, decided to renew the bond.

The sureties on the bond are the same as those on the original bond.

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PROPOSALS.

Alexandria Va., Aug. 31 1914

Proposals will be received by the Committee on Public Property and the Committee on Schools of the Alexandria City Council until 7:30 o'clock p. m. Friday, October 9th, 1914 at the office of the City Engineer and then opened, 1st for the erection of a High School Building on the lot North of Cameron St., near Payton St., extended, 2nd for the plumbing of the said building, and 3rd for the heating and ventilating of the said building.

The right is reserved to reect any and all proposals.

Certified checks, payable to Thos. W. Robinson, City Treasurer must accompany each proposal as a guarantee that the proposer who may be awarded the contract will furnish bond and enter contract with the City Council for the erection of the building. The check to be forfeited to the City Council in case the bidder to whom contract may be awarded fails to furnish bond acceptable to the Finance Committee and enter into contract within ten days after award of contract.

The Certified check must be as follows—$400.00 with proposal for construction of the building $200 with proposal for the heating and ventilating and $100.00 with proposal for the plumbing.—

Plans and specifications can be seen at the City Engineer's office.

ALBERT BRYAN,
Chrm. Joint Committee.

VIRGINIA:

Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria,

Clerks Office, September 30th, 1914.

Rose G. Buenaventura, plaintiff vs. Vincent Buenaventura, defendant.

Upon written application of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, and it appearing to the to the clerk that process has been issued and returned by the Sergeant of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, showing that the defendant was not found within the jurisdiction of this Court, the Clerk, on the 30th day of September, 1914, doth grant the following order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce for the plaintiff on the grounds of desertion, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Vincent Buenaventura is a non resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear here within fifteen days after due publication of said order of publication and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Va., that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court house of the Circuit Court of said city on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered; and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court addressed to the said non resident defendant at General Solono Street, Manila, Philipine Islands, his last known place of abode.

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N. S. GREENAWAY.
Clerk.

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TERMS: $300. at time property is conveyed balance to be arranged later.

S. H. LUNT, Auctioneer
25—10t

PROPOSALS

Proposals will be received at the office of the City Engineer until 12 o'clock noon October 9, 1914 for sand cinders, cement vitrified brick, granite curb, hauling, and hire of teams, to be used in the construction of a vitrified brick roadway on Lee St. from King St. to Queen St., and for grading, furnishing material and construction of sidewalks on Lee St. from King St., to Queen St.

Specifications and particulars can be had at the office of the City Engineer.

The right is reserved to reject all proposals and to accept such proposals or parts of proposals as may be to the best interest of the City Council of Alexandria.

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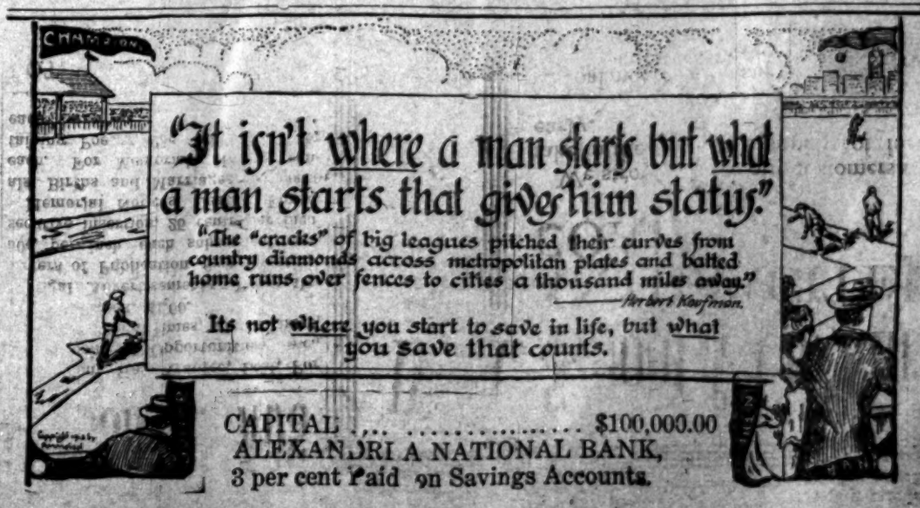
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